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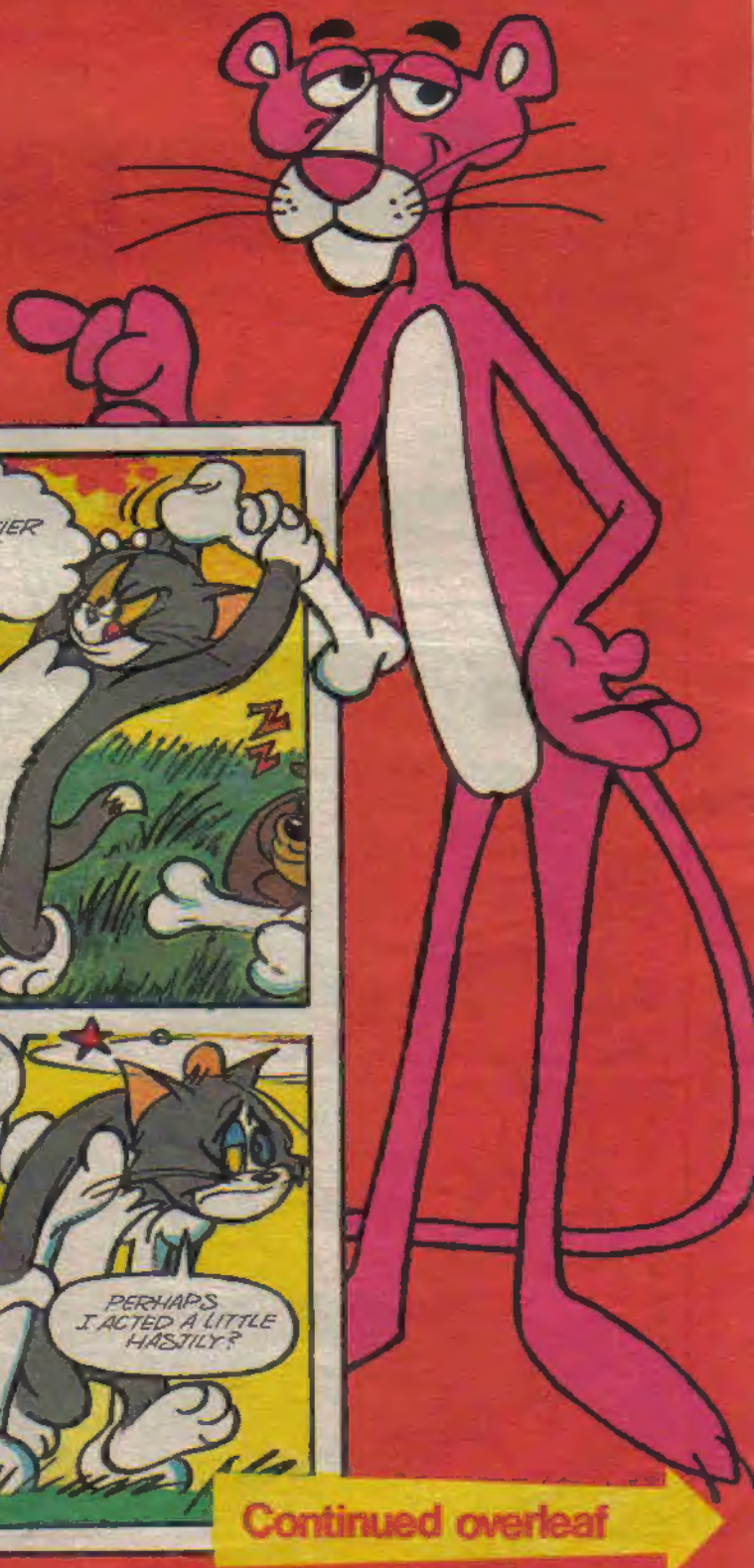

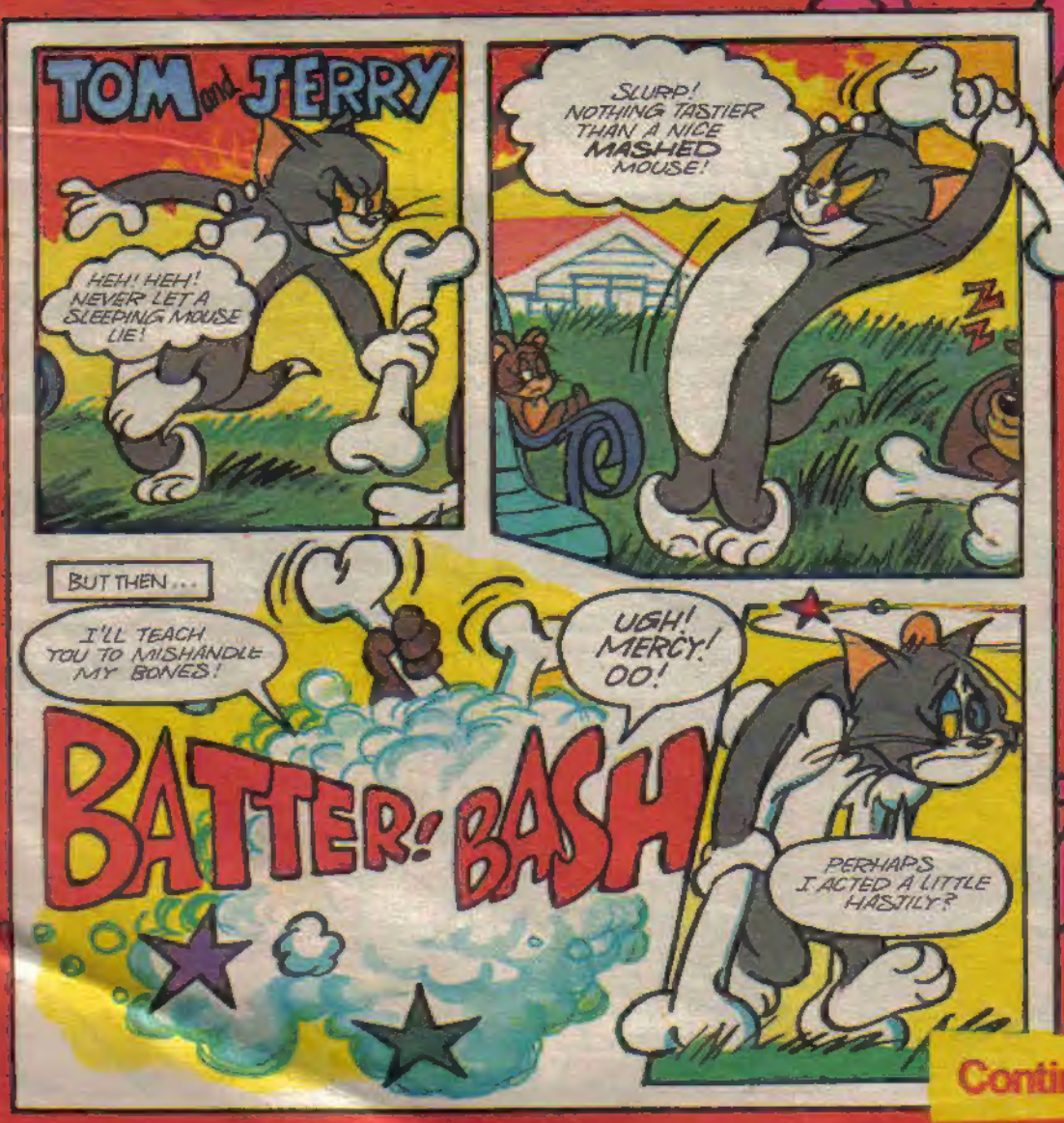
TOM and JERRY
HEH! HEH! NEVER LET A SLEEPING MOUSE LIE!
SLURP! NOTHING TASTIER THAN A NICE MASHED MOUSE!
ZZZ
BUT THEN...
I'LL TEACH YOU TO MISHANDLE MY BONES!
UGH! MERCY! OO!
BATTER! BASH!
PERHAPS I ACTED A LITTLE HASTILY?

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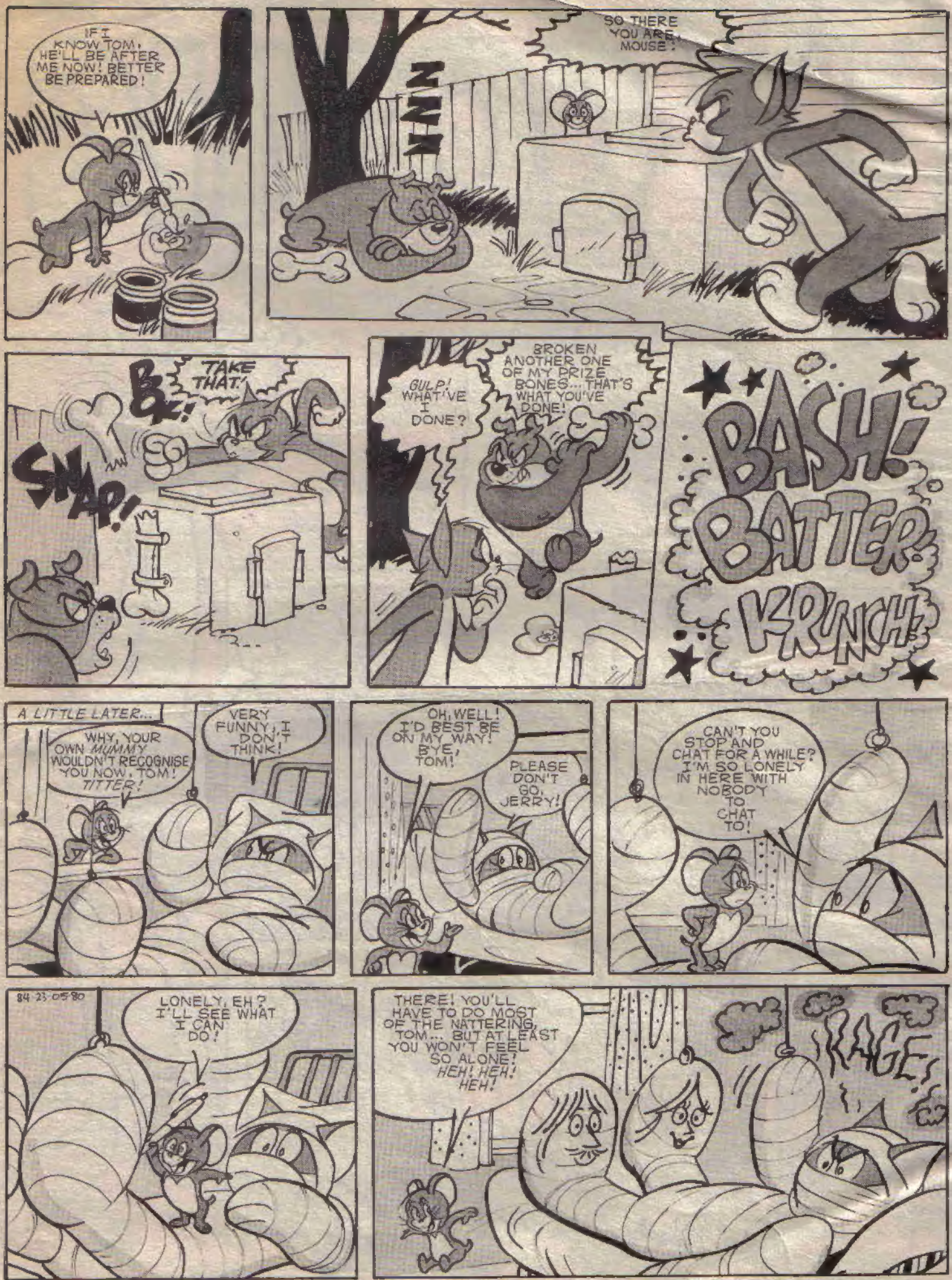
IF I KNOW TOM, HE'LL BE AFTER ME NOW! BETTER BE PREPARED!
SO THERE YOU ARE, MOUSE!
ZZZZ
TAKE THAT!
SNAP!
GULP! WHAT'VE I DONE?
BROKEN ANOTHER ONE OF MY PRIZE BONES... THAT'S WHAT YOU'VE DONE!
BASH!
BATTER!
KRUNCH!
A LITTLE LATER...
WHY, YOUR OWN MUMMY WOULDN'T RECOGNISE YOU NOW, TOM! TITTER!
VERY FUNNY, I DON'T THINK!
OH, WELL! I'D BEST BE ON MY WAY! BYE, TOM!
PLEASE DON'T GO, JERRY!
CAN'T YOU STOP AND CHAT FOR A WHILE? I'M SO LONELY IN HERE WITH NOBODY TO CHAT TO!
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LONELY, EH? I'LL SEE WHAT I CAN DO!
THERE! YOU'LL HAVE TO DO MOST OF THE NATTERING, TOM... BUT AT LEAST YOU WON'T FEEL SO ALONE! HEH! HEH! HEH!
RAGE!

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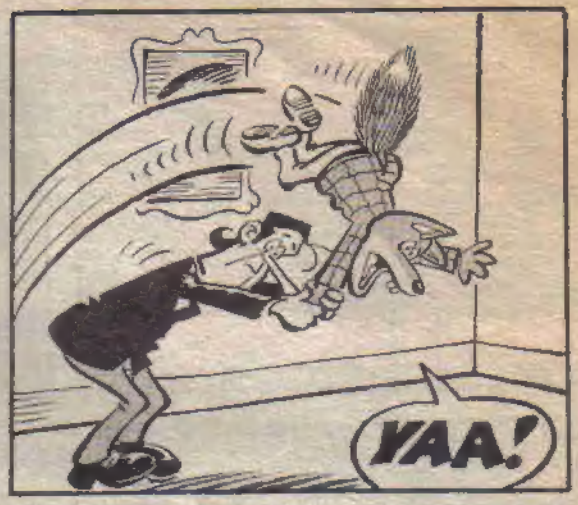

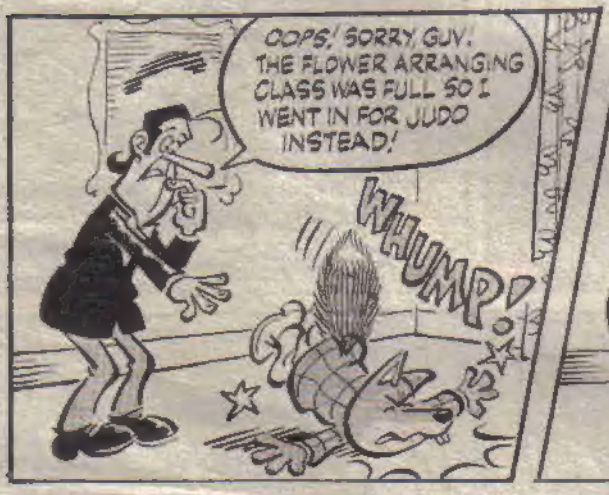

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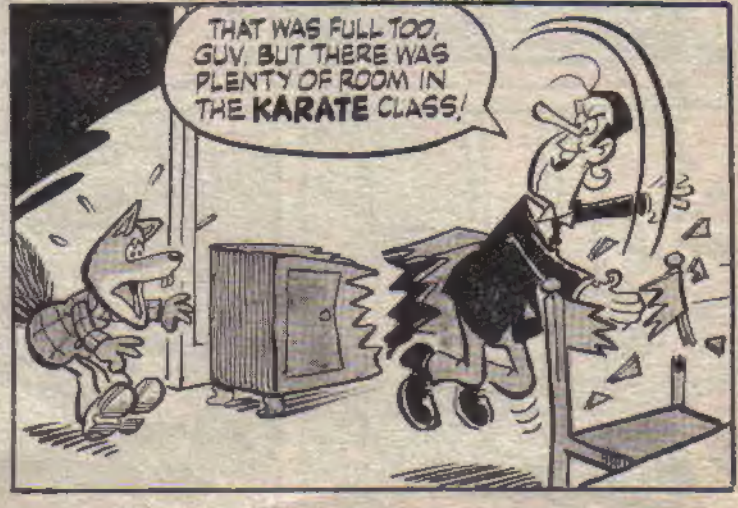

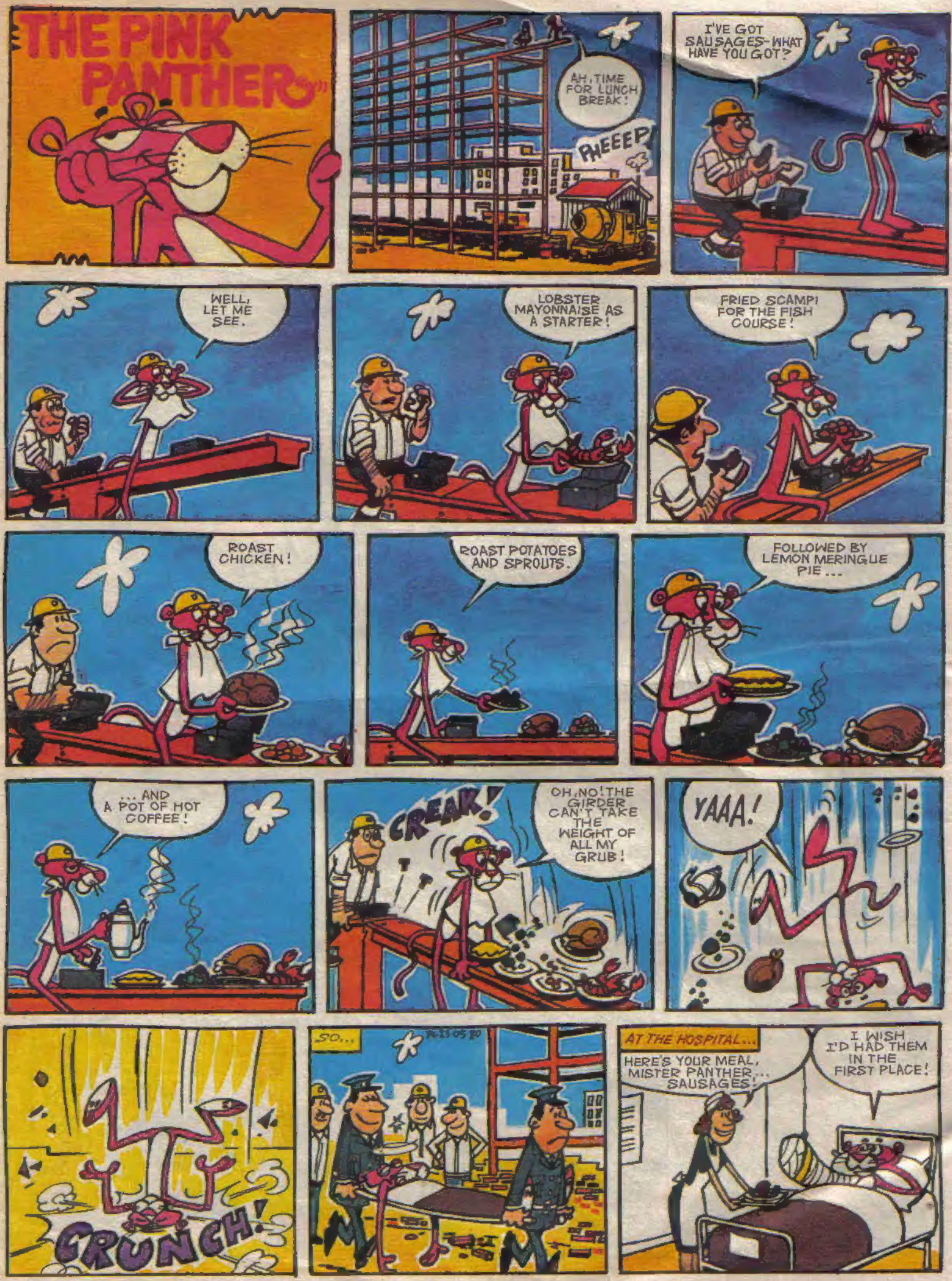
THE PINK PANTHER
AH, TIME FOR LUNCH BREAK!
PHEEEP
I'VE GOT SAUSAGES- WHAT HAVE YOU GOT?
WELL, LET ME SEE.
LOBSTER MAYONNAISE AS A STARTER!
FRIED SCAMPI FOR THE FISH COURSE!
ROAST CHICKEN!
ROAST POTATOES AND SPROUTS.
FOLLOWED BY LEMON MERINGUE PIE ...
... AND A POT OF HOT COFFEE!
CREAK!
OH, NO! THE GIRDER CAN'T TAKE THE WEIGHT OF ALL MY GRUB!
YAAA!
CRUNCH!
SO...
AT THE HOSPITAL...
HERE'S YOUR MEAL, MISTER PANTHER... SAUSAGES!
I WISH I'D HAD THEM IN THE FIRST PLACE!

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Hanna-Barbera's
CAPTAIN CAVEMAN
and the TEEN ANGELS
LAST WEEK WE LEFT CAPTAIN CAVEMAN ON THE BOTTOM OF A LOCH. HE'S STILL THERE AND THE MONSTER STILL HASN'T GOT HIM...
JUST AS YOU FOLKS'LL FIND ALL THIS HARD TO SWALLOW.
SO WILL THAT THING FIND THIS!
MEANWHILE...
BANG!
HELP THE MONSTER!
NO CAVIE TO SAVE US!
CHEE! TIME I TOOK A BREATHER!
IF THE MONSTER'S A MAN-EATER IT WON'T BOTHER US!
SOMETHING'S COMING UP!
OH YES THERE IS KIDS!
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START DUCKIN' WHILE I DO SOME CHUCKIN'!
CAPTAIN CAVEMAN-OOF!
HE SHOULD HAVE DUCKED INSTEAD OF US!
J. CASHEN
HEH! HEH! THAT'S WHAT YOU MIGHT CALL A HIGHLAND FLING!
WHO SAID THAT?
WHO DID INDEED? POOR OLD CAVIE IS KNOCKED INTO NEXT WEEK.

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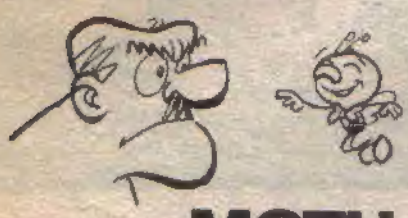
MIGHTY MOTH



IT SAYS HERE THAT IN SOUTH AMERICA THERE IS A PLANT THAT EATS INSECTS. THAT'S JUST WHAT I NEED TO GET RID OF MIGHTY MOTH!

SO, AT THE FLORIST'S...

I KNOW THE PLANT, SIR. IT'S CALLED MOTHUS GRABUS. I COULD GET ONE FROM BRAZIL BUT IT WOULD COST £10!

IT'LL BE WORTH IT!

A FEW DAYS LATER...

HEY, MOTHY — TAKE A SNIFF OF MY NEW PLANT!

SNIFF! THERE'S NO SMELL TO IT, DAD!

GRAB!

HELP! IT'S GOT ME!

LUCKY I'M A MIGHTY MOTH! I'LL USE MY JUDO THROW!

CLUNK!

LATER...

I TOLD YOU NOT TO BUY THAT SILLY PLANT. TULIPS ARE MUCH NICER!

SMELL THEM — THEY'RE LOVELY!

MMM!

YA! IT'S A MAN-EATING TULIP!

GRAB!

LUCKY I HAD THESE SCISSORS HANDY!

CONSTABLE — THERE'S A MAN-EATING TULIP IN MY HOUSE! IT NEARLY GOT ME!

I KNOW, SIR. AND MY BOOTS HAVE GOT WINGS. YOU COME ALONG WITH ME. I'LL SEE YOU'RE LOOKED AFTER!

DON'T WORRY, FOLKS. DAD WILL BE OUT BY NEXT WEEK!

Hanna-Barbera's
BOSS CAT
J. CANNING
I'VE GOT MORE POTTED PLANTS IN THE GREENHOUSE THAN I KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH!
IT'S NICE TO SEE YOU ENJOYING SOME GARDENING ON YOUR DAY OFF, OFFICER DIBBLE!
I WONDER WHERE BOSS CAT IS GOING WITH THAT GUITAR?
I'LL FOLLOW HIM AND FIND OUT!
I SEE! HE'S SERENADING HIS GIRL FRIEND LUCY!
♪ YOUR EYES ARE LIKE STARS ♪
I'M FED-UP WITH BEING STOOD-UP BY YOU, BOSS CAT! GET LOST!
♪ YOUR LIPS ARE SUBLIME ♪
LUCY CAN'T KEEP THAT UP!
DONK!
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♪ YOU ARE MINE .. YOU ARE MINE ♪
THUD!
KEEP IT UP, LUCY - HE'LL GET TIRED OF THIS BEFORE WE DO!
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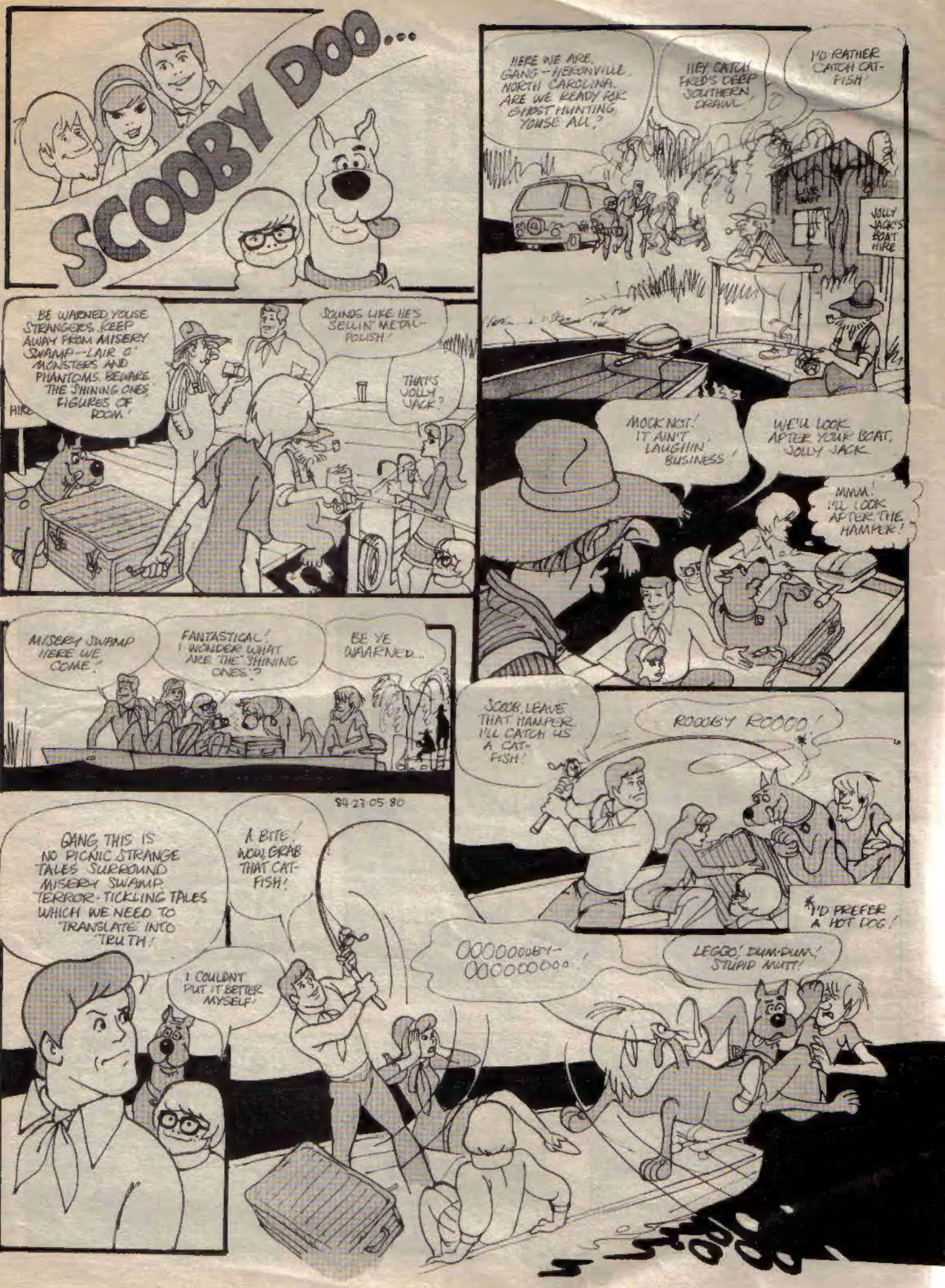
SCOOBY DOO...
HERE WE ARE, GANG—HERONVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA. ARE WE READY FOR GHOST HUNTING YOUSE ALL?
HEY, CATCH, FRED'S DEEP SOUTHERN DRAWL
I'D RATHER CATCH CAT-FISH!
JOLLY JACK'S BOAT HIRE
BE WARNED, YOUSE STRANGERS. KEEP AWAY FROM MISERY SWAMP—LAIR O' MONSTERS AND PHANTOMS. BEWARE THE 'SHINING ONES', FIGURES OF DOOM!
SOUNDS LIKE HE'S SELLIN' METAL-POLISH!
THAT'S JOLLY JACK?
MOCK NOT! IT AIN'T LAUGHIN' BUSINESS!
WE'LL LOOK AFTER YOUR BOAT, JOLLY JACK.
MMM! I'LL LOOK AFTER THE HAMPER!
MISERY SWAMP HERE WE COME!
FANTASTICAL! I WONDER WHAT ARE THE 'SHINING ONES'?
BE YE WARNED...
SCOOB, LEAVE THAT HAMPER. I'LL CATCH US A CAT-FISH!
ROOOBY ROOOO!
I'D PREFER A HOT DOG!
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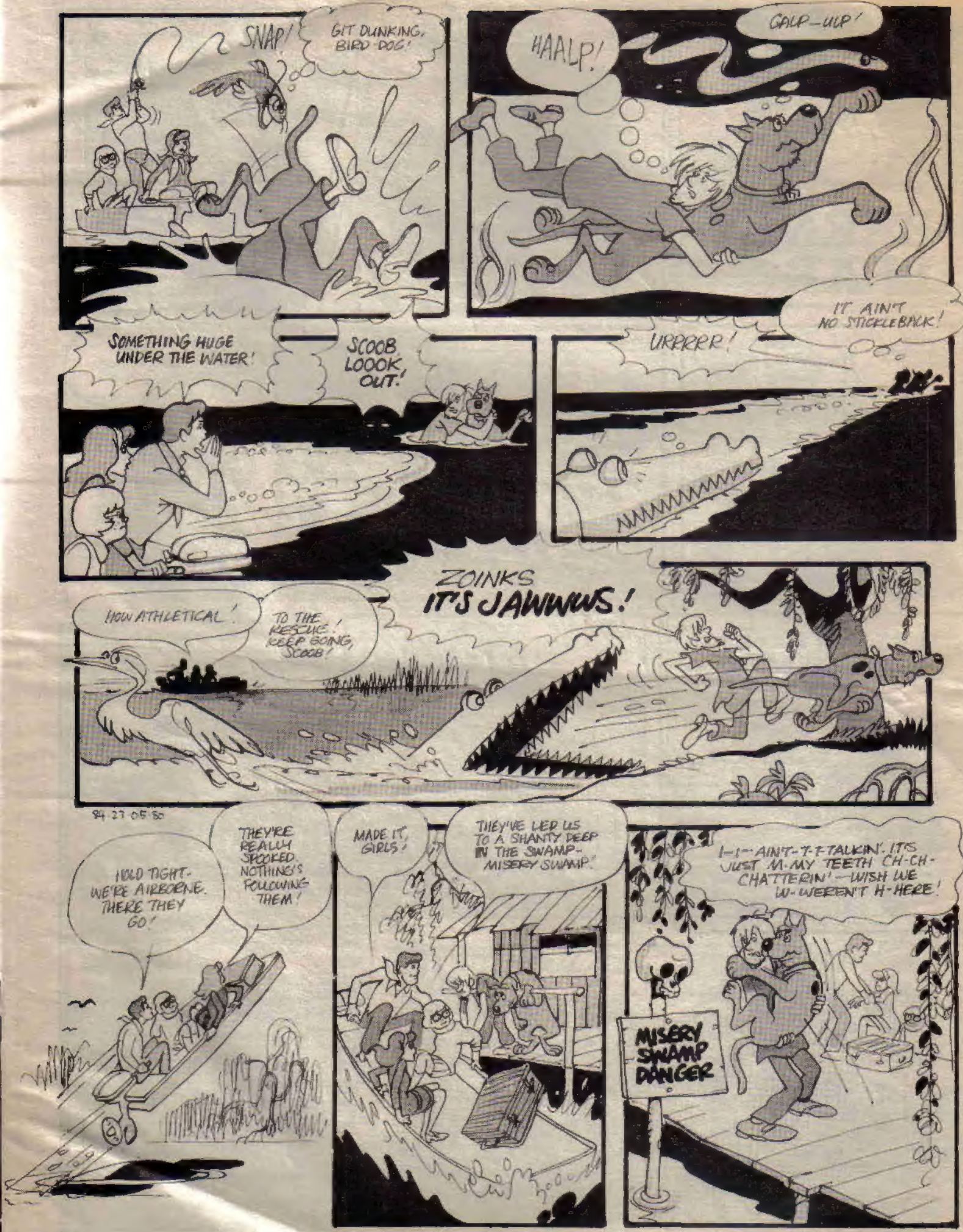
GANG, THIS IS NO PICNIC. STRANGE TALES SURROUND MISERY SWAMP. TERROR-TICKLING TALES WHICH WE NEED TO 'TRANSLATE' INTO 'TRUTH'!
A BITE! WOW, GRAB THAT CAT-FISH!
I COULDN'T PUT IT BETTER MYSELF!
OOOOOOOBY-OOOOOOOO!
LEGGO! DUM-DUM! STUPID MUTT!


SNAP!
GIT DUNKING, BIRD DOG!
HAALP!
GALP-ULP!
IT AIN'T NO STICKLEBACK!
URRRRR!
SOMETHING HUGE UNDER THE WATER!
SCOOB LOOOK OUT!
ZOINKS IT'S JAWWWS!
HOW ATHLETICAL!
TO THE RESCUE! KEEP GOING, SCOOB!
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THEY'RE REALLY SPOOKED. NOTHING'S FOLLOWING THEM!
HOLD TIGHT- WE'RE AIRBORNE. THERE THEY GO!
MADE IT, GIRLS!
THEY'VE LED US TO A SHANTY DEEP IN THE SWAMP- MISERY SWAMP!
I-I-AIN'T-T-T-TALKIN'. IT'S JUST M-MY TEETH CH-CH-CHATTERIN'—WISH WE W-WEREN'T H-HERE!
MISERY SWAMP DANGER

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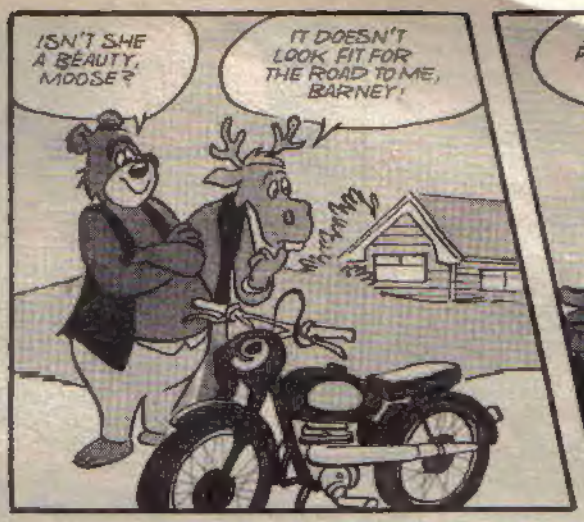

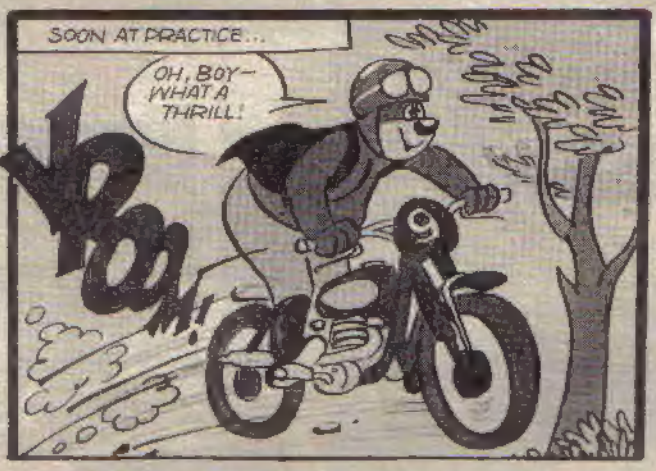

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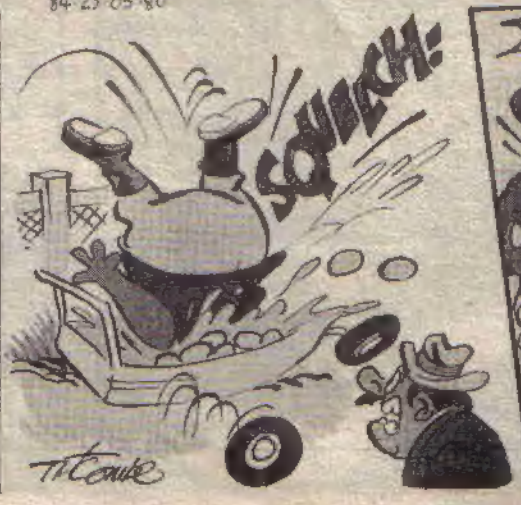

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The Inspector
THERE'S A CLEVER PICKPOCKET AT WORK AMONG THE FOOTBALL CROWDS I WANT YOU TO CATCH HIM!
LEAVE IT TO ME CHIEF!
UNITED ARE AT HOME TODAY SO MIX WITH THE FANS WITH THESE WALLETS IN YOUR POCKETS AS BAIT!
SOON..
THIS'LL BE EASY!
BUT.
NOTHING'S HAPPENED YET - I'LL GET IN AMONGST THIS MOB!
OOPS! EXCUSE ME! WHA ?
HELP! LET ME OUT.
GULP! I'D BETTER REPORT BACK TO THE CHIEF!
SO.
THE INSPECTOR TO SEE YOU CHIEF!
WELL? DID YOU MANAGE TO TEMPT THE THIEF TO LIFT THE WALLETS FROM YOUR POCKETS?
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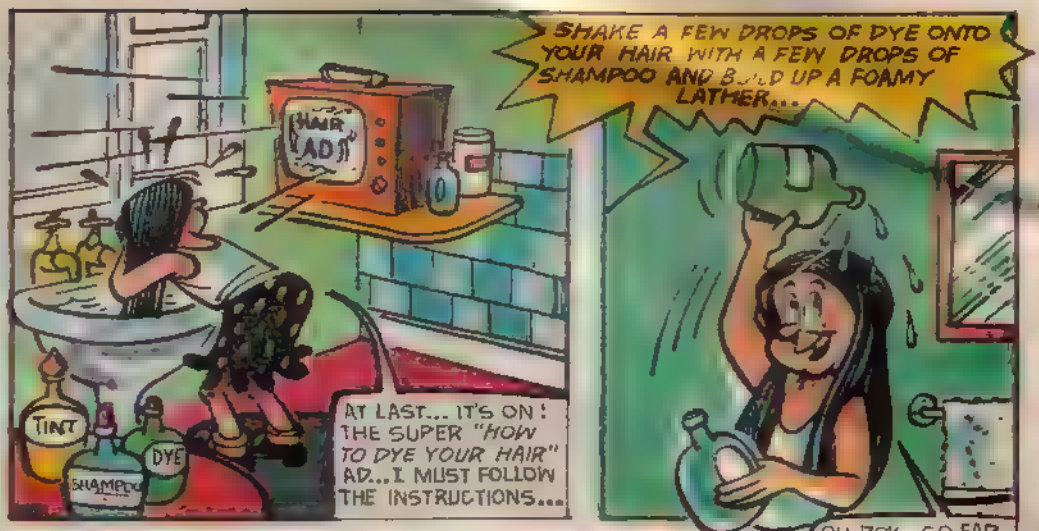
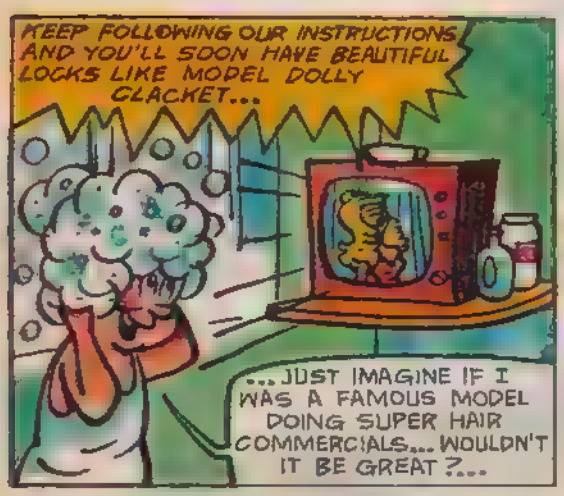
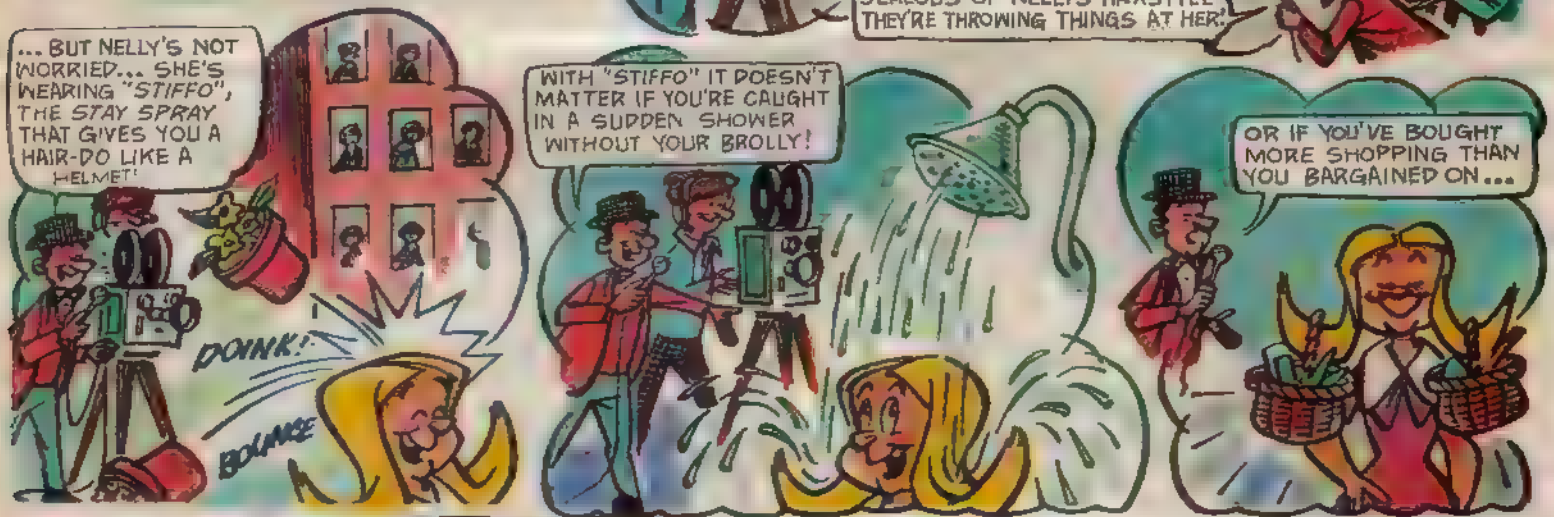
YES, CHIEF - BUT HE PINCHED MY POCKETS AS WELL!

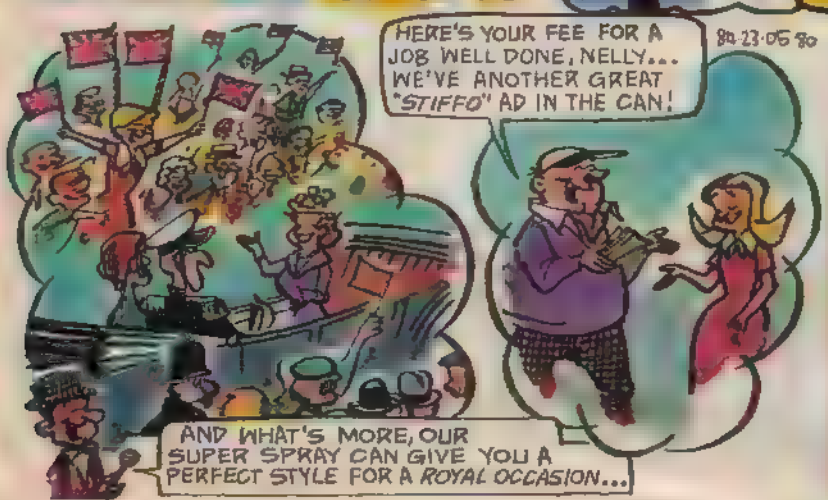
Nelly and her Telly


HAIR AD!
TINT
DYE
SHAMPOO
AT LAST... IT'S ON! THE SUPER "HOW TO DYE YOUR HAIR" AD...I MUST FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS...
SHAKE A FEW DROPS OF DYE ONTO YOUR HAIR WITH A FEW DROPS OF SHAMPOO AND BUILD UP A FOAMY LATHER...
OH, BOY...SO FAR SO GOOD...WHAT COULD BE SIMPLER?


KEEP FOLLOWING OUR INSTRUCTIONS AND YOU'LL SOON HAVE BEAUTIFUL LOCKS LIKE MODEL DOLLY CLACKET...
...JUST IMAGINE IF I WAS A FAMOUS MODEL DOING SUPER HAIR COMMERCIALS... WOULDN'T IT BE GREAT?...

WANNA KNOW WHO THE GIRL IS WITH THE BEAUTIFUL LOCKS, VIEWERS? WELL IT'S TOP MODEL NELLY CLACKET!
GOLLY! ALL THE OTHER GIRLS IN THE NEIGHBOURHOOD ARE SO JEALOUS OF NELLY'S HAIRSTYLE THEY'RE THROWING THINGS AT HER!


...BUT NELLY'S NOT WORRIED... SHE'S WEARING "STIFFO", THE STAY SPRAY THAT GIVES YOU A HAIR-DO LIKE A HELMET!
DOINK!
BOLANGE
WITH "STIFFO" IT DOESN'T MATTER IF YOU'RE CAUGHT IN A SUDDEN SHOWER WITHOUT YOUR BROLLY!
OR IF YOU'VE BOUGHT MORE SHOPPING THAN YOU BARGAINED ON...


HERE'S YOUR FEE FOR A JOB WELL DONE, NELLY... WE'VE ANOTHER GREAT "STIFFO" AD IN THE CAN!
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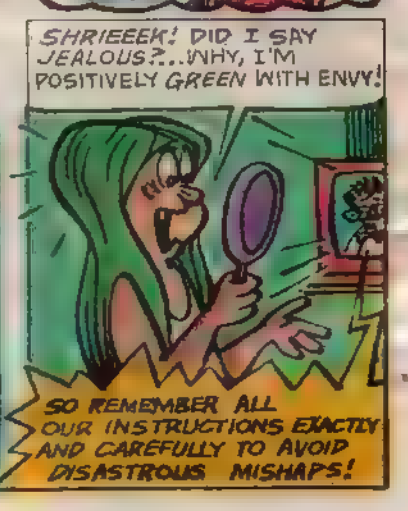
AND WHAT'S MORE, OUR SUPER SPRAY CAN GIVE YOU A PERFECT STYLE FOR A ROYAL OCCASION...


SHRIEEEK! DID I SAY JEALOUS?...WHY, I'M POSITIVELY GREEN WITH ENVY!
SO REMEMBER ALL OUR INSTRUCTIONS EXACTLY AND CAREFULLY TO AVOID DISASTROUS MISHAPS!

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£2 CASH PRIZE FOR THE BEST LETTER PUBLISHED!

Your LETTERS and LAUGHS PAGE

Hi There!
This week's prize letter is from Vivienne Corringham. Viv is ten, and comes from Lincoln. She sent us these jokes.

What is orange and shoots out the ground at 80 m.p.h.?
Answer: An E-Type carrot!

What laughs a lot and also lives in Coronation Street?
Answer: Hyena Sharples!

What do you get when you cross the Atlantic with the Titanic?
Answer: Halfway!

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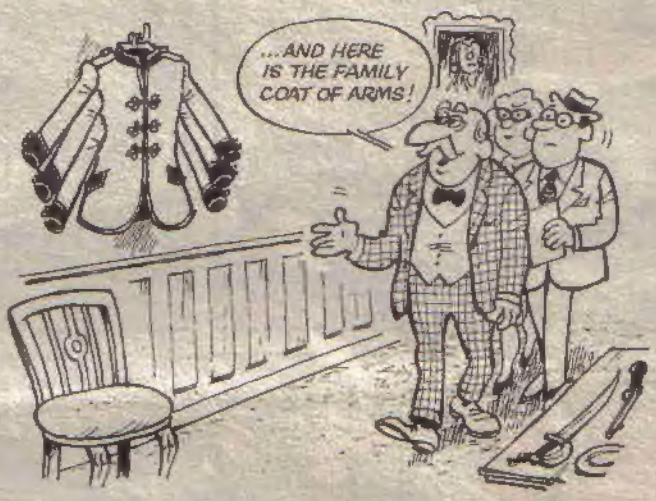


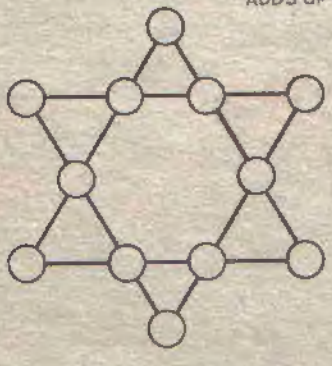
FASCINATING FACTS

A gallon of vinegar weighs more in winter than in summer.

The Amazonian tree frog builds its nest out of beeswax. This fills with rainwater to form a pond for the eggs which hatch out as tadpoles. They live in the nest/pond until fully grown.

The world's fastest growing plant is Giant Kelp, which grows at the rate of two feet per day.

CAN YOU PLACE THE NUMBERS FROM 1 TO 12, ONE IN EACH CIRCLE, SO THAT EVERY STRAIGHT LINE OF THE STAR ADDS UP TO A TOTAL OF 26?



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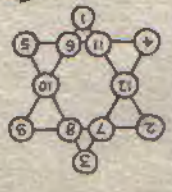

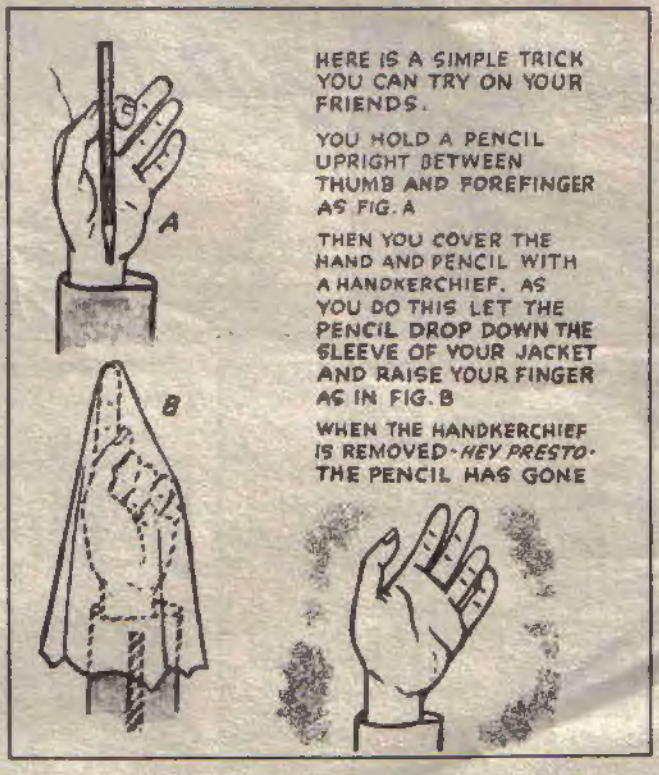
A
B
HERE IS A SIMPLE TRICK YOU CAN TRY ON YOUR FRIENDS.
YOU HOLD A PENCIL UPRIGHT BETWEEN THUMB AND FOREFINGER AS FIG. A
THEN YOU COVER THE HAND AND PENCIL WITH A HANDKERCHIEF. AS YOU DO THIS LET THE PENCIL DROP DOWN THE SLEEVE OF YOUR JACKET AND RAISE YOUR FINGER AS IN FIG. B
WHEN THE HANDKERCHIEF IS REMOVED - HEY PRESTO - THE PENCIL HAS GONE

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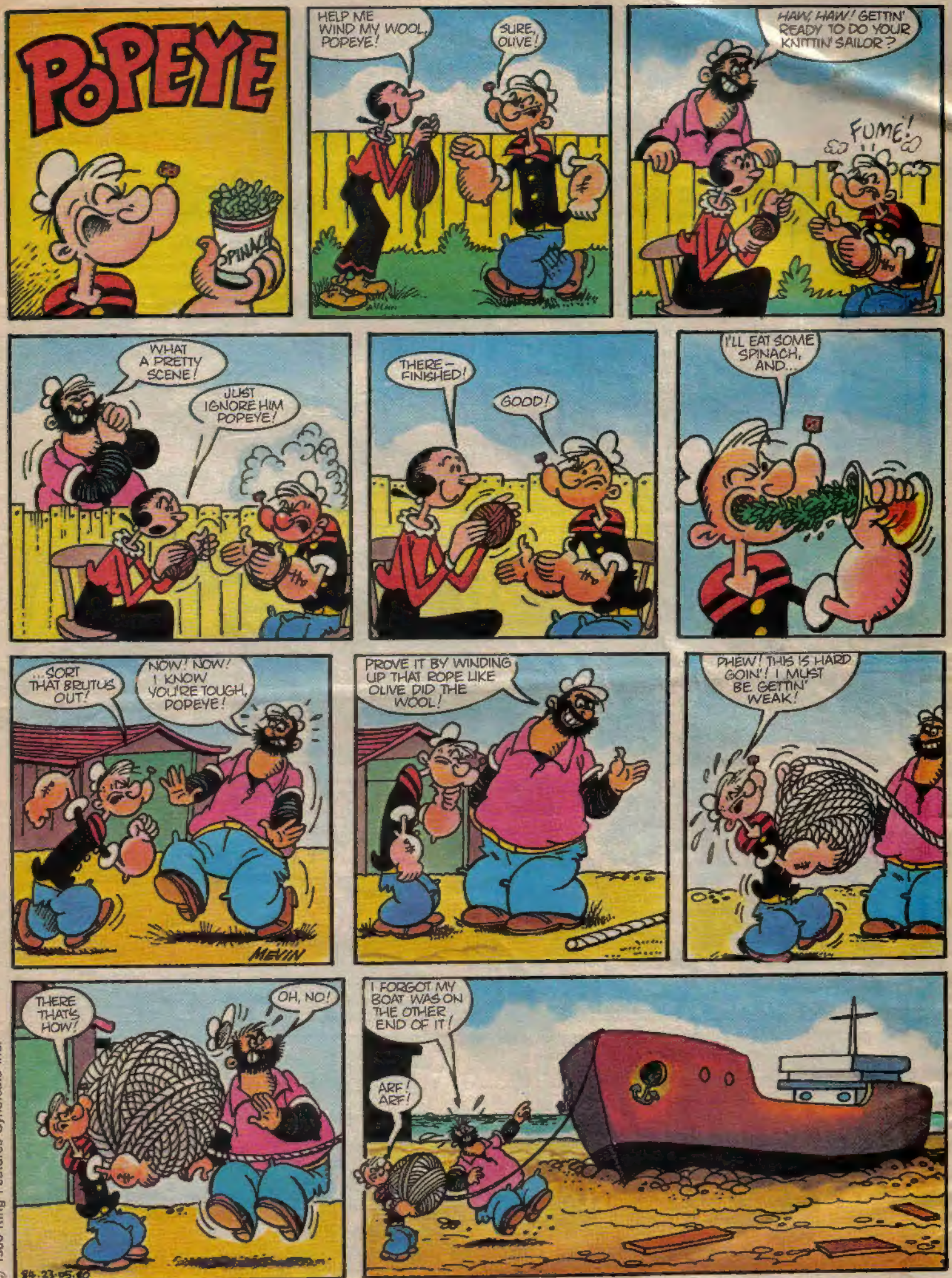
TV TERRORS
TV JUNGLE SET FOR "JUNGLE FRED" SHOW
WE MUST FIND JUNGLE FRED AND ASK HIM FOR HIS AUTOGRAPH!
THERE HE GOES NOW! AFTER HIM!
HE'S A SWINGING FELLOW!
WE'LL SOON HAVE HIS FAMOUS SIGNATURE IN OUR BOOKS!
THAT'S WHAT THEY THINK!
I'M HERE TO STOP JUNGLE FRED BEING PESTERED AND THAT'S WHAT I INTEND TO DO!
HOPPIT, TERRORS! I WON'T LET YOU GET FRED'S AUTOGRAPH!
BOP!
YIKE! IT'S HOPPIT IN A HAIRY DISGUISE!
HOPPIT ALWAYS SPOILS OUR FUN!
YEAH! WE WERE WITHIN AN INCH OF COLLECTING FRED'S SIGNATURE!
I'VE AN IDEA THAT'LL PUT HOPPIT OUT OF ACTION!
SO, A LITTLE LATER...
YOU TWO GET FRED'S AUTOGRAPH! LEAVE HOPPIT TO ME!
I'LL SOON CLEAR THOSE PESKY TERRORS AWAY FROM JUNGLE FRED!
THAT'S WHAT HE THINKS!
DON'T LOOK NOW BUT YOUR HEAD'S ON THE WRONG WAY ROUND!
?
NYAAAH! I CAN'T SEE WHERE I'M GOING!
WHUMP!
HE! HE!
IF HOPPIT HAD THE AUTOGRAPHS OF ALL THE STARS HE'S SEEING HE'D HAVE A GREAT COLLECTION! HA! HA!
HO! HO!
HE! HE! WE'VE MADE A MONKEY OUT OF HIM THIS TIME!


POPEYE
SPINACH
HELP ME WIND MY WOOL, POPEYE!
SURE, OLIVE!
HAW, HAW! GETTIN' READY TO DO YOUR KNITTIN' SAILOR?
FUME!
WHAT A PRETTY SCENE!
JUST IGNORE HIM POPEYE!
THERE— FINISHED!
GOOD!
I'LL EAT SOME SPINACH, AND..
...SORT THAT BRUTUS OUT!
NOW! NOW! I KNOW YOU'RE TOUGH, POPEYE!
MEVIN
PROVE IT BY WINDING UP THAT ROPE LIKE OLIVE DID THE WOOL!
PHEW! THIS IS HARD GOIN'! I MUST BE GETTIN' WEAK!
THERE THAT'S HOW!
OH, NO!
I FORGOT MY BOAT WAS ON THE OTHER END OF IT!
ARF! ARF!
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